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Sam H. Arnold, D.O.
104 E. 16th Street
Hope, Arkansas 71801

RE: Letter of Concern
License No. 2093
Case No. 2918M

Dear Dr. Arnold:

At its meeting on December 7, 2002, the Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery conducted an investigative hearing on the above-referenced complaint in which you are named.

Based on the information available and discussion with you, the Board duly voted to issue you a **LETTER OF CONCERN** regarding the allegation that you violated A.R.S. § 32-1854(6) and (40) in that you erred in evaluating the patient prior to surgery by failing to recognize the significance of certain laboratory findings.

Please note that this is an advisory letter notifying you that, while there is insufficient evidence to support direction action against your license, the Board does believe your conduct in this matter is of some concern and wishes to bring this to your attention. A Letter of Concern is a public document and will be cited if there are future disciplinary actions against your license.

Sincerely,

Elaine LeTarte
Acting Executive Director